



The Mid-Atlantic Chapter of the International Society of Arboriculture (MAC-ISA) is offering scholarships in memory of Dr. Frank Santamour, past President and charter member of the Mid-Atlantic Chapter of ISA. MAC-ISA is offering two scholarships in the amount of \$1250.00 to be awarded for the 2010 fall semester. These scholarship(s) will be awarded to students studying arboriculture/urban forestry who have a genuine interest in a career in arboriculture. The scholarships will be available to two and four year colleges and universities that have committed programs in horticulture, arboriculture and/or urban forestry.

Application for the scholarship(s) is simple; the student is obligated to submit a short narrative, no longer than one page, outlining his/her accomplishments, academic record and career aspirations. The student's contact information should also be included: email address, mailing address and phone number. The Frank Santamour scholarship committee will review the student's narrative and notify you and the student once the committee has made the selection(s). The narratives are to be sent to me no later than September 30, 2010. Please submit all narrative packages directly to: Todd Nelson either by email: Todd.Nelson@fairfaxcounty.gov or fax: 703-803-7769. If sent by fax a cover letter is required. Once a scholarship has been awarded the funds will be allocated by your school's administrative department that manages scholarships. In addition the scholarship recipient will submit an article for the Canopy Coverage highlighting their academic accomplishments and career aspirations.

MAC-ISA is proud to sponsor future generations of arborists by honoring Dr. Santamour for all of his contributions to our local chapter and industry. One of MAC-ISA's primary missions is to support education to advance our profession. Providing financial assistance to promising students of arboriculture further supports our mission.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to e-mail or call me with your thoughts.

Sincerely,

Todd Nelson, President
Mid-Atlantic Chapter of the International Society of Arboriculture

